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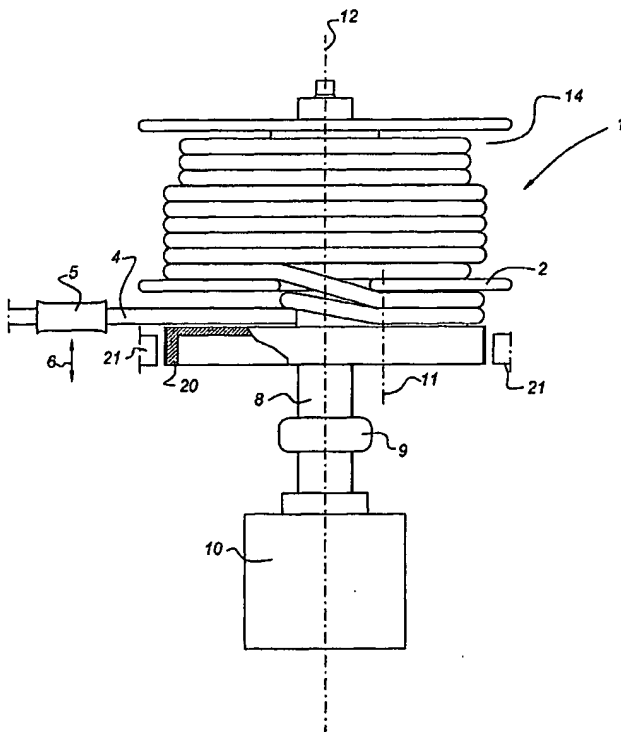
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(57) Abstract: Retaining device for a cable (4). This consists of a rotary drum (2) around which at least two cable windings are made, retaining and paying out being possible by means of a motor (10) that drives the drum. According to the present invention the axis (12) of rotation for the drive is offset with respect to the axis of the drum, so that in a certain position the axis (12) of rotation is essentially coincident with the casing face of the drum engaging on the cable.

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